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Mr. Martin L. Stone
Editor
U.S. News & World Report
2400 N Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20037

Dear Mr. Stone:

Thank you for inviting CIA Director William J. Casey to participate in U.S. News & World Report's eleventh annual survey of national leadership.

Mr. Casey has asked me to extend his regrets. As Director of Central Intelligence, it would be inappropriate for him to comment on the subjects covered by the questionnaire.

Sincerely,



George W. Lauder
Director, Public Affairs

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Marvin L. Stone, *Editor*

February 27, 1984

The Honorable William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence
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Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Casey:

I would like to request your participation in our eleventh annual survey of national leadership.

Because you are a leader in your own field, your views on the quality of leadership, the importance of the country's institutions and your perceptions of the men and women who run America by virtue of their influence on national life are important to any evaluation.

In many ways, 1984 is a year of assessment. It is an election year, and, of course, all Americans will have an opportunity to express their views on office holders through the election process. At the same time, there are leaders outside of government who also have substantial influence in our country. With your help, we would like to provide to U.S. News readers a current appraisal by those who are leaders themselves.

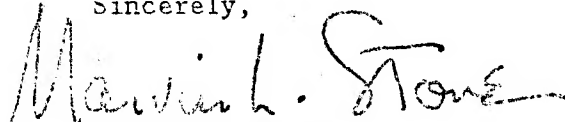
Your responses and your personal comments will be of great value to us. Your name, of course, will not be used in news stories about the survey findings, or even known to us, unless you choose to sign the questionnaire.

Regardless of whether you sign your name, your reply is very important because the questionnaire is being sent only to a limited number of leaders.

We hope that you will be able to return your completed questionnaire to us very soon. A stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

We thank you very much for your help.

Sincerely,


Marvin L. Stone

Enclosures

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